

RAILROAD AFFAIRS.

The Santa Fe's Proposed Line to San Francisco.

A Report About It Which Comes from Chicago.

Stated on Authority That the Work Will Soon Begin.

Fast Trains May Hereafter Run Through Kansas Without Stopping—General Local and Personal Railroad Mention.

The Chicago Herald of November 24 printed about a California enterprise the following article, which, though most of the particulars have been published before, is interesting from the fact that it seems to have emanated from some official source, and is more or less authoritative:

The Atchison will begin almost immediately the construction of its line from Mojave to San Francisco. This long-awaited and much prophesied event would have occurred two years ago had it not been for the Baring Bros. financial difficulties. The plan was only delayed and by no means abandoned.

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BASEBALL.

A "Take" Dispatch from San Francisco—The Championship Series.

Manager G. A. Vanderbeck of the Los Angeles baseball team yesterday expressed himself to a Times reporter as being very indignant over the false dispatch sent out by the Associated Press under the date of San Francisco, and which appeared in the city papers yesterday morning. The dispatch contained a report of an alleged meeting of the several club managers, on Monday afternoon, and also stated that Mr. Vanderbeck had lost his temper and by walking out of the room in a rage had put an end to the meeting. The local manager denies this report absolutely, and says that there was no meeting at all, the last being held Sunday morning. Managers Finn, Harris, himself and Glenatrin being present. The San José manager at that time expressed himself as satisfied with the arrangement suggested of playing at least a part of the championship games in this city, and had his players stand with him, there is little doubt but that Mr. Finn and his ball-tossers would have reached this city today. As it is the players of the San José team, headed by Dooley and Clark, have taken things into their own hands and have telegraphed Vanderbeck that they would be on hand for today's game. Owing to the heavy rain between here and San Francisco, Mr. Vanderbeck was, last night, unable to obtain telegraphic communication with the other club, and so does not know for certain whether they started South or no.

The present probability, is, however, that the first game of the final series will be played Friday afternoon. The trouble between Finn and his players has been brewing for some time, so Vanderbeck states, and is due in part to a reduction of salaries, and also to the fact that Finn withheld a portion of the men's wages in payment for uniforms. Capt. Elbert sides with Finn and will not come South with the club. In his absence Denny will have command of the field. In the event of any new difficulties arising necessitating a postponement, due notice will be given in THE TIMES' local and advertising columns.

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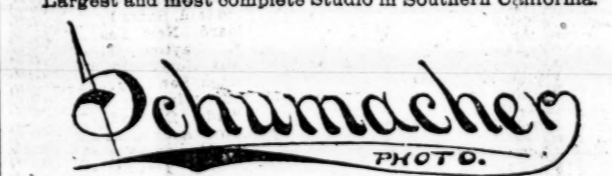
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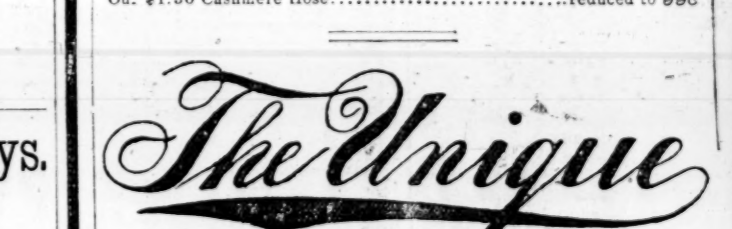
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PASADENA.

A Man Injured and Two Reckless Drivers Arrested.

New Local Inventors Becoming Prominent—Various Items of Local Interest—The News in Brief.

Through reckless driving on South Fair Oaks avenue, yesterday morning, a citizen of town was thrown from his car and painfully injured. A. C. Hess had his rig standing a short distance south of Colorado street, and was talking to a friend on the sidewalk, when two men seated in a light open sewing-machine wagon drove rapidly down the street and crashed into the car, throwing Mr. Hess to the ground and breaking his collar bone and badly bruising him.

Constable Slater happened near by, and he soon had the offenders under arrest on a charge of fast driving. They were promptly escorted to the City Hall and their cases presented to Judge Rose. They gave their names as Andrew Kelly and John Lee. Kelly was driving at the time of the collision. Both men had been drinking, and both were allowed to go after having deposited \$100 each to appear for trial. During the proceedings Kelly made an attempt to escape from the court, but was promptly called back by the marshal, and later, when he became obstinate, he was held to answer a second charge of disturbing the peace.

WILL REVOLUTIONIZE FRUIT CLEANING.
The Times reporter was shown a day or so ago a fruit cleaning machine, which was invented by John L. Blockburger, a well-known and witty modest young man of town who has associated himself with the matter of bringing his invention before the public with David Coyle and Clyde Barnhart.

The machine is designed primarily to clean oranges, but it can be used to good purpose on almost any kind of fruit. It is simple in construction and will stand a great deal of hard work. A single machine consists of two hollow half globes into which are fitted concave brushes. The globes are set back to back so that the operator, who sits on a comfortable seat and operates the machine by a treadle, can clean two oranges at a time. The cleaning process consists simply in applying the fruit to the machine and turning a crank to rotate the brushes, and after being cleaned is transferred to boxes by means of a shoot on either side. By a simple arrangement the capacity of the machine can be doubled, and a second operator can operate at the same pace. The invention, for which a patent has already been secured, is said to revolutionize matters in the fruit cleaning line, and reflects great credit upon those who have interested themselves in bringing it before the public.

WILL BE REPRESENTED AT THE FAIR.
Formal notification was received yesterday by Miss Picher, director of the Pasadena Loan Association, that the World's Fair Commission had accepted the application of that organization for space in the California building at Chicago. In all probability the association will be granted ninety square feet of space, and the notification bears the signature of Thomas H. Thompson, secretary of the fair commission.

The loan association will be formally organized for the season's work next month, with a membership limited to twenty. The meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. William Stanton. The personnel of the association will be announced soon.

A PROMINENT MARRIAGE.
The directors of the San Gabriel Valley Bank held a meeting yesterday. A. C. Hubbard and Webster Watkins were elected members of the board to fill vacancies. The newly-organized board later elected Mr. Hubbard to the cashiership. F. C. Bolt will retain his position as president and manager of the institution, which capacity he has held eminently successfully. There will be no change made in the policy of the institution. A report submitted by Mr. Hubbard showing the operations of the past ten months was a satisfactory one to all interested, and was altogether encouraging.

QUICKLY WEDDED.
Dr. Arthur H. Palmer, our well-known townsman, was married Tuesday evening to Miss M. Lizzie Bacon, one of Pasadena's most accomplished ladies. Rev. Dr. Conner officiated. The service was performed at the residence of the bride's parents, on South Madison avenue. The wedding was private, and the bride and groom, after the festive fashion, began their home life, where they will be glad to receive their friends. No cards. Dr. and Mrs. Palmer will be the recipients of many congratulations in a community where both are universally popular.

TODAY'S BAZAR.
This afternoon and evening the members of the Woman's Guild of All Saints' Church will hold a bazar at the Carlton parlors. A large variety of fancy articles will be exhibited for sale and in the evening a novel and interesting musical entertainment will be given. This will include the world-famous, but seldom-heard, "humanophone," which itself is a new and the admission price. There will be singing by a male quartet and by Miss Nellie Stoughton. Mr. Armstrong will contribute to the evening's pleasure by playing several selections on the mandolin.

PERMANENT ORGANIZATION.
At a business meeting of the Pasadena band, held Tuesday evening, permanent organization was effected by the election of the following officers: H. M. Staats, manager; B. P. Brockway, treasurer; W. H. Bagley, secretary; Frank Hall, leader; W. T. Harrington, assistant leader; and H. M. Gabriel, director. An Executive Committee, composed of B. P. Brockway, H. M. Staats and W. H. Bagley, was elected. A committee was also appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws, which will be submitted at the next meeting.

PASADENA BREVITIES.
Pete Slett moved into his new quarters yesterday.
Satin band Moore ribbon just in at the Bon Accord.
Col. H. C. Corbin leaves tomorrow for Washington.
The collectors will be out in full force today. Have your cash ready.
Co. B will hold a special drill and business meeting at the Armory this evening.
The interior of the Bon Accord has received some noticeable improvements recently.

Some members of the Athletic Club engaged in a white tournament at the club rooms last night.
Andrew McNally and family are expected soon from Chicago. They will spend the winter at their Altadena home.

At the Scotch musicale next Saturday afternoon, the Loriet Quartette will sing a charming arrangement of "Annie Laurie."
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Allen, parents of F. Martin Summers, have arrived in Pasadena from New York to remain during the winter.

Several aspirants for the Pasadena post-office plume are circulating petitions for signatures of people who advocate their candidacy.
At a meeting of Pasadena lodge, K. of P., held Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY.

Meeting of the San Bernardino City Trustees Tuesday Night.

Considerable Municipal Business Transacted. The Union Christian Convention at Riverside. Notes from Redlands.

SAN BERNARDINO.

At the meeting of the City Trustees on Tuesday night four more electric lights were ordered put in—one at the intersection of Third and G streets, upon petition of the citizens in that vicinity, and two at the intersection of Third and I and Fifth and G streets, upon the request and motion of Trustee Whitney, and one at the intersection of Sixth and P, upon petition of those residing in that neighborhood.

Bids for the purchase of the sweepings cleaned from the paved streets were opened and all rejected. The highest bid was \$151 per annum. Trustee Kennison maintained that the sweepings were worth \$400, and it was upon his motion that all bids were rejected.

Bids for grading Fourth street, west from Mt. Vernon avenue, were opened as follows: John E. Scher, \$727; Bright & Crandall, \$530; James Darling, \$592; J. B. Polk & Co., \$908. The contract was awarded to Bright & Crandall.

Bids were received from A. Boker, for the construction of three bridges—two on Fourth street, west of Mt. Vernon avenue, and one on Third street, east of the same. The bids were: A. McCreey for the three bridges was \$920; Bates, Colbert & Stevenson, \$738.85; John Engelbert, \$622; P. E. Lynn, \$514.90; Polk & Co., \$613.40; James Darling, \$591; Howard B. Melton, \$860. The contract was awarded to James Darling, all material to be furnished by the contractor.

The final deed to property for the opening of Fourth street, beyond Mt. Vernon avenue, was received from A. Boker, settling all controversy in the matter.

The street superintendent was instructed to grade I street, from Eighth to Third, in order to carry off the storm water of winter without the destruction of property.

The claims of Messrs. Bemis and Brooks for lands of the opening of Fourth street were allowed.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.

A Columbian carnival is to be given at the opera-house tomorrow evening.

The rain of Tuesday evening caused the postponement of a number of important meetings.

E. A. Foster, a well-known prospector, left for the north yesterday by the Southern Pacific.

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Alexander E. Frye, City Superintendent of Schools, will address the faculty and the students of Leland Stanford, Jr. University next Tuesday upon the subject of "Education."

Three Mojave Indians are now in this city seeking protection for their fellow-men who are being driven to vagrancy by the unprincipled and greedy white men, who sell or give them whiskey.

The rainfall in the mountains continued yesterday, though there was none in the city. The past month has been a heavy rain in the mountain regions than for any November since that of 1880.

RIVERSIDE.
The Union Christian Convention opened yesterday morning in the Congregational Church with a fair attendance. The proceedings were begun with devotional exercises conducted by Capt. R. K. Kelo Carter, followed by an address upon "The Personality of the Spirit," by Rev. H. B. Gare.

Cal. Ogburn then spoke upon "The Spirit of the Patriarchs," and Rev. W. A. Wright upon "The Spirit in Prophecy." The choir rendered a song service to open the afternoon session, and Rev. E. H. Hartley then spoke of "The Spirit of the Church," and Capt. R. K. Kelo Carter spoke upon "The Spirit of the World."

A consecration service followed. In the evening Capt. R. K. Kelo Carter delivered a thoughtful address upon "Power." The convention continues today and tomorrow.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.
Rev. R. H. Hartley has returned from San Diego.

Mrs. U. Z. Curtis of Globe, Ariz., is here for the winter. She and her husband are preparing for a prize run of thirteen miles.

The ladies of the Universal Church will hold a fair at the church parlors today.

Mr. and Mrs. Scarborough and Mrs. Gilliland left yesterday for a visit at San Diego.

Mrs. S. A. Ames entertained about two score of friends at drive whist yesterday afternoon.

A shipment of 125 boxes of raisins was made on Tuesday by George H. Dole, consigned to Honolulu.

William McDonald, sister and family are in the city from Toronto, Can., and are guests at the Anchorage.

The next match between the Riverside and Los Angeles all-croquet teams will be played about two weeks hence.

The Riverside Water Company has placed the scale for water from December 1 to March 1 at one-half the summer rate.

The first of the series of dances to be given by the new Cotton Club will be on tonight in the Knights of Pythias Hall.

Mrs. W. B. Bowers and daughters, Misses Grace and Vyne, of San Diego are at the Arlington and will spend the winter here.

R. von Jackson, a member of the court, Stuttgart, Wurtemberg, is touring Southern California and is now at the Arlington.

During the rain this week there was a total precipitation of .27 inch in this city. At Arlington there was but .16 inch rainfall.

Mrs. M. E. Taylor and daughter, Miss Jessie, and Miss S. A. Babcock of Strawberry Point, Iowa, are visiting Riverside, guests at the Rowell.

J. P. McCarthy, a prominent importer of San Francisco, who has been at the Graywood with his bride for a few days, left yesterday for other points.

The Young Men's Literary Circle of the Baptist Church held a spirited meeting on Tuesday night, the subject discussed being "Labor Unions a Benefit to the Laboring Classes."

F. E. Hughes returned Tuesday evening from his trip to Japan, having been gone several months, and is now at the Glenwood. While en route, the big pond he met several Riverside people well.

Mrs. D. A. Bender and Miss Bender of Carson City, Nev., were among the visitors to Riverside yesterday. Although they have been in Southern California frequently, this was their first visit to this city, and they were completely charmed by the place.

A physician was called out last Monday, the child becoming unconscious. Dr. Abbott was then summoned, and by night consciousness was restored, and the child is in a fair way to recover. The doctor said he did not know what the poisonous principle contained in the pencil might be.

REDLANDS BREVITIES.
Members will arrive this week from Washington and make Redlands his home.

There will be a meeting this evening for the purpose of organizing a K. P. lodge in this city.

The rains have deposited in the excavation for the paving on Orange street a large pond of water, and some was placed

there a firepole, with line and bob, while an other stick up a printed warning as follows: "No bathing here for three years. Keep out."

Mrs. Frank Nasson is in San Pedro, having been called there by the illness of her mother.

The Southern Pacific Company has completed a switch to the packing-houses of the Haight Fruit Company.

M. Holland of Vancouver, B. C., a prominent real-estate broker of the sound country, is visiting W. C. Hargraves of this city.

Stone is being put upon the ground for a stone and cement gutter on Citrus street, running 1000 feet east from the J. W. Sutherland place.

Albert Smiley and wife are expected this week to add another son to their family. They will spend the winter at their beautiful residence at Canon Crest Park.

The funeral of the late Grant D. Harris was held at the Methodist Church on Tuesday. Mr. Harris was but 28 years old, and was living with his brother on Palm avenue.

Redlands Lodge, F. and A. M., has chosen the following officers: C. H. Hobart, Master; J. F. Drake, Senior Warden; H. Pat. Junior Warden; F. Morrison, Treasurer; R. E. Archer, Secretary.

The Bear Valley Irrigation Company proposes running its new canal through Yucca Valley in such a way as to put a large part of the valley under irrigation, and will bring into a high state of cultivation an early day some of the choicest land in Southern California.

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The Weather.
U. S. WEATHER SERVICE, LOS ANGELES.
Nov. 30, 1892.—At 5 a.m. the barometer registered 30.05; at 5 p.m. 30.02. Thermometer for corresponding hours showed 57° and 69°. Maximum temperature, 69°; minimum temperature, 56°. Character of weather, cloudy. Rainfall for the past twenty-four hours, .02; rainfall for the season, 4.74.

A novel invention whereby the celebrated Rochester lamp is being used, as an oil-heating device; over 300 have been sold since October 26, 1892. They are made in three sizes, viz.: Nos. 1, 2 and 3, the No. 1 being the largest and forty-eight inches high. They are gotten up in the most attractive manner, being elaborately nickel-plated and concealed by all who have seen them to be not only the handsomest, but the best oil-heating stove ever put on the market. The Nos. 1 and 2 will warm an ordinary room in a few minutes, and is capable of heating two or more rooms, and is the most economical way of doing it. Being a lamp, the combustion is perfect, consequently no odor, and every one is guaranteed to please or no sale. The inventor is F. E. Browne, Nos. 314 and 316 South Spring street, where they can be seen in operation, or sent for circular.

One of the latest novelties out are those painted porcelain plaques with silver medallion frames, and painted plate glass photo frames with silver mountings. These make an elegant Christmas present for a small amount of money. See them at Sanborn, Vail Company, No. 133 South Spring street.

Eastern oysters, any style, 50 cents a dozen. Catering for weddings and parties in or out of the city. Hollenbeck Hotel Café, Nos. 214 and 216 West Second street. J. E. Aull, proprietor.

The city candidate for the People's Party will hold a public reception at the corner of Seventeenth street and Grand avenue this evening. Everybody is invited to attend.

Miss J. A. Williams and Mrs. M. S. Hoyt are now prepared to supply their patrons with the latest styles of millinery and cloaks, at No. 124 South Spring.

For Arrowhead Hot Springs take the 9 a. m. Santa Fe direct to Arrowhead, or Southern Pacific to San Bernardino. City office Coulter's store.

Art reception today and tomorrow at the studio of Mrs. L. M. Patterson, room 100, Potomac block. An invitation is extended to the public.

The four hundred are enthusiastic over the appearance of Hamilton Garland Saturday evening. A fashionable audience is assured.

That Los Angeles is a reading community is shown by the demand for tickets to hear Hamilton Garland Saturday evening.

All kinds of sewing machines for rent; also sewing machines repaired, at No. 128 South Main street.

For ranges or heating stoves of any description go to A. B. Chapman's, No. 414 South Spring.

Fine cabinet photos reduced to \$1.75 per dozen. Sunbeam gallery, No. 230 South Main street.

A. W. Swanfield, tents and awnings, removed to No. 247 South Main street; see ad.

The Cosmopolitan makes a specialty this evening of turkey and oyster supper.

The Grand View Hotel, Monrovia, opens November 3. See ad. first page.

Kan-Koo, open evenings. Special sale bamboo furniture and goods. See ad.

Finest quality of Oxfords. Hewes, No. 105 North Spring street.

New Mexican goods, Campbell's. See ad.

Use purely vegetable Mexican soap. Dewey was first to introduce Artios.

Five "vags" were brought in from the country last night and locked up in the City Prison.

A. J. Lopez was arrested last night and lodged in the City Prison for discharging firearms in the city.

The weather yesterday was cloudy, and during the day there were frequent light showers. After 10 o'clock however, it cleared up and remained so for some hours.

The authority for the Santa Paula accident, reported in The Times several days ago, and afterward denied by a citizen of Ventura county, was Mr. Hardison of Santa Paula.

At the Union Thanksgiving service held in the First Presbyterian Church, a thank offering of \$44 was received and divided equally between the Orphans' Home and the Benevolent Society.

The Beato Star, the smallest paper ever sent through the mails, has been received at the Times office. It is about 2 1/2 x 3 1/2 inches, is issued weekly, regularly except on the postoffice holidays, and class mail matter and is published at Ocala, Alameda county.

Capt. Wesley Roberts, an old resident of this city, died at his home, No. 324 North Spring street, yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock after a lingering illness. Capt. Roberts had lived in Los Angeles for many years and had numerous friends all over the southern part of the State.

Telegraph wires are down between Los Angeles and San Francisco and last evening it did not look as though any business could be transacted. Reports from San Francisco are to the effect that 88 of an inch of rain had fallen in twenty-four hours and that it was still raining. At San Diego the weather was cloudy.

Secretary Gregory Perkins of the Board of Trade has received a letter from Albert A. Pope of Boston enclosing a petition to Congress asking for the establishment of a road department, similar to the Department of Agriculture, under the Department of the Interior. The petition is now on file at the secretary's office of the Board of Trade, where signatures will be appended.

The attention of charitable people is directed to Don C. Smith of No. 723 East First street, who is 73 years old, blind, crippled and alone. He endeavors to support himself on a pension of \$30 per month and the sale of some preparations of his own. His next pension will not be received by him until about the 15th of December, and until that time he has no means of support.

The freight steamer Connaught, which left San Francisco on Saturday last for New York by way of Redondo and being nearly a day overdue, cast anchor off the latter port yesterday afternoon. The tardiness of the steamer was due to the heavy weather prevailing, she having taken refuge on the leeward side of Catalina Island until the stress of weather was over.

The Park Commissioners have reported to the City Council asking that body to accept and record the extension of time for work on the Hollenbeck Park, presented at the last meeting of the Commissioners. The terms of the original conveyance were that the city should spend in improving the land \$5000 on or before December 31, 1892, and \$5000 additional on or before December 31, 1893. Mrs. Hollenbeck has agreed to extend the time one year in each case for making said expenditures.

PERSONALS.

William H. Carlson, Assemblyman-elect from San Diego, was in the city last evening.

W. H. Polk, a brother of I. H. Polk of this city, arrived from Tennessee the other day, and will engage with his brother in the paving business.

Gen. C. C. Allen, Adjutant-General of California, arrived from Sacramento yesterday on business and pleasure, and will remain in the city until Monday next.

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CRIME AND CRIMINALS.

A Young Man in Trouble for Forging His Sister's Name.

Squandered Her Earnings in Fast Living—A Supposed Hotel-worker in Custody—Young Smith Acquitted—Petty Offenders.

Fred Kopp, a waiter in one of the Second street restaurants, was arrested yesterday morning by Police Detective Bosqui on a charge of forgery in having signed his sister Annie's name to checks to the amount of about \$150, which the girl had deposited in the California Bank.

The case is a singular one, for the reason that Bosqui has worked up evidence sufficient to convict young Kopp, and yet a strong effort is being made to have the charges dismissed against him. The girl is a servant in Councilman McGarr's family, and is a hard working, honest girl. She is very saving and deposits all of her earnings that she can spare in the bank. Her brother, who is a worthless kind of fellow, spends all the money he can get his hands on, and as he did not earn sufficient waiting on the table to satisfy his wants he forged his sister's name to checks for sums ranging from \$10 to \$20.

One day a few weeks ago he over-drew his sister's account, and the bank notified her of that fact.

On going to the bank and examining the checks, numbering fifteen or eighteen, she promptly pronounced them forgeries, and the police were consulted.

She had no idea at that time that her brother was the forger, and was greatly surprised when Bosqui captured the young man in the act of presenting another check, as he did not know that the account had been overdrawn.

He was promptly placed under arrest and taken to the central station, where he was locked up. If the case is not compromised, he will be taken before the Police Court today.

A Hotel Worker.
A smooth citizen, who is supposed to be S. W. Barthol, was lodged in the City Prison by Officer O'Regan on a charge of grand larceny yesterday morning.

Some two months ago Barthol, who is a kind of flash gambler, was rooming at the United States Hotel, and soon became quite popular among the guests.

One of his new-made friends was in the habit of sleeping late in the morning, and he asked Barthol to wake him up at a certain hour every morning, and Barthol told him to leave his door unlocked and place a chair against it so that he could get in.

The waking process was kept up for several days, when one morning the confiding friend overslept himself, and on awaking he found that he had been robbed of a fine gold watch and chain and a few dollars in cash.

On making inquiries at the hotel office he learned that Barthol had quit the place that morning, and he at once suspected him of having robbed him.

The matter was reported to the police, and a lookout has been kept up ever since, but Barthol has been out of the city until yesterday, when he returned, and was at once arrested and lodged in jail.

Young Smith Acquitted.
A. J. Smith, who was arrested last Sunday, on complaint of George M. Holton, Esq., who claimed that Smith exposed his person in the presence of his little daughter and two other little girls, on Third street, was tried and acquitted by a jury in Justice Owens' Court yesterday morning. The little girls were not present to testify, and the evidence went to show that Smith, who bears a good reputation among his acquaintances, failed, through absent-mindedness, to rearrange his clothing on leaving a closet. He had several character witnesses present, who testified that he is a member of the church in good standing. The report that he was convicted and sentenced to the City Prison on Monday arose from an error in transcribing the case from the Police Court docket. The decision of the court was in his favor, not against him.

Criminal Notes.
Choo Fong, the young Chinese woman, who was kidnapped a week ago last Sunday and has been before the lower courts on several charges, was before Police Justice Owens yesterday on a charge of vagrancy. She entered a plea of not guilty, and her case was set for trial on Friday. Pending trial, she was remanded to the custody of the matron of the Temple Street Mission.

The trial of I. H. Duncan, charged with battery, was set for today in Justice Owens' court.

Ed Little and L. Sprousser, who engaged in a street fight on Main and Second streets at an early hour yesterday morning, were fined \$10 and \$5 respectively by Police Justice Owens yesterday.

William Siemacher, who stole a couple of books from a news stand the other night, pleaded guilty to petty larceny in the Police Court yesterday, and was fined \$5.

William McCormick, an old offender, who was arrested the other night for begging on the streets, was sentenced to sixty days in the chain gang by Justice Owens yesterday. His "pal," Robert Macy, was also sentenced to five days in the chain gang for begging.

A complaint was sworn to in the Police Court by Joseph A. Hill yesterday, charging a man named Duncon with an assault with a deadly weapon. Hill was talking to a friend on Spring street yesterday morning about a bet, when Duncon came up and picked a quarrel with him. Duncon finally drew a knife and attempted to stab him.

The charges against J. Greenwald, for selling lottery tickets, were dismissed by Justice Austin yesterday for want of testimony to convict.

A WELCOME ARRIVAL.
Part of our stock of new Lindeman pianos for rent has arrived, and those who have left orders will please call and make their selection. We desire to say to the public that this is the finest stock of pianos for rent ever put on the market. Strictly first-class Fisher & Boyd Piano Company, corner Spring and Franklin streets.

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At half the usual rates, Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association, New York, one of the strongest and most popular companies in the world, investigate and be convinced. F. J. Crossley, Manager, Room 6, 129 South Spring st., Los Angeles.

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FRENCH AND CHEFE tissue papers and paper dolls. Langstader, 214 W. Second st., Hollenbeck Hotel.

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THURSDAY DEC 1st 1892.

On December 1, 1841, the celebrated Dr. George Birkbeck died in London.

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We expect to grow from our special sales, and this week we are having a good one. Special sale for this week, 20 per cent. discount on Rattan Furniture and Baskets. Get in and secure a useful and pretty present for Xmas at a bargain.

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To every purchaser of shoes of \$2.50 and upward, THE QUEEN SHOE STORE 162-164 N. Main-st., will give free of charge a beautiful Christmas doll. Distribution of prizes will commence on and after Friday, November 26. The shoes from The Queen have a reputation for wear, style and fit, and are sold at the very lowest living prices. Inspection invited. See show window.



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10 Special Drives in Men's Shoes.

Hanan & Sons' New York City make, hand-sewed calf and Cordovan, \$4.95, value \$7.00
Lilly, Brackets & Co., Brookton, Mass. make, hand-welt calf shoes, \$3.25, value \$4.50
Lilly, Brackets & Co., Brookton, Mass. make, fashionable dressy calf, \$2.50, value \$4.00
Chase, Merritt & Co., Boston, Mass. make, hand-welt calf shoes, \$2.95, value \$3.75
Chase, Merritt & Co., Boston, Mass. make, heavy solid veal calf, \$2.00, value \$3.00
Walker & Whitman, Campello, Mass. make, hand-welt calf button shoes, \$2.50, value \$4.00
Walker & Whitman, Campello, Mass. make, hand-sewed lace or Congress, \$3.25, value \$4.50
Charles A. Coffin & Co., Boston, Mass. make, heavy buff shoes, \$1.40, value \$2.25
Bay State Boot and Shoe Co., Boston, Mass. make, heavy ranch brogans, 75c, value \$1.50
U. S. Boot and Shoe Company, Haverhill, Mass. make, heavy calf shoes, \$1.75, value \$2.50

5 Special Drives in Misses' Shoes.

J. B. Pearl & Co., Boston, Mass. make, fine dongola patent tip, extension sole, \$1.75, value \$2.50
Charles W. Royce & Co., Boston, Mass. make, dongola patent tip heel, \$1.50, value \$2.25
J. B. Lewis & Co., Boston, Mass. make, heavy grain school shoes, \$1.50, value \$2.00
Pierce & Son, Haverhill, Mass. make, dongola heel shoes, \$1.00, value \$1.75
Pierce & Son, Haverhill, Mass. make, French kid heel shoes, \$1.50, value \$2.75

5 Special Drives in Boys' Shoes.

Lilly, Brackets & Co., Brookton, Mass. make, all-calf school shoe, \$2.00, value \$3.00
Charles H. King, Weymouth, Mass. make, calf shoe, solid, \$1.75, value \$2.50
Rockland Shoe Co., Rockland, Mass. make, Congress dress shoe, \$1.50, value \$2.25
Lilly, Brackets & Co., Brookton, Mass. make, fine calf shoes, \$2.50, value \$3.50
American Shoe Company, Lynn, Mass. make, calf lace shoes, \$1.50, value \$2.25

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10 Special Drives in Ladies' Shoes.

H. J. Holbrook & Co., Lynn, Mass. make, celebrated "Vici" kid, \$2.00, value \$3.00
H. J. Holbrook & Co., Lynn, Mass. make, fine dongola patent tip, \$2.50, value \$4.00
Clapp & Tapley, Boston, Mass. make, dongola, opera last, \$1.50, value \$2.00
Clapp & Tapley, Boston, Mass. make, heavy pebble goat, \$2.00, value \$3.00
P. Cox, Rochester, N. Y. make, hand-turned French kid, \$4.25, value \$5.50
Curtis & Wheeler, Rochester, N. Y. make, hand-turned dongola patent tip, \$3.50, value \$4.50
Curtis & Wheeler, Rochester, N. Y. make, hand-welt French kid, \$4.50, value \$5.50
Orin Jones & Co., San Francisco make, French kid (widths B to EE), \$2.75, value \$5.00
Viegard, Langslow & Curry, Rochester make, hand-turned, cloth top, lace, \$2.75, value \$4.50
E. P. Dodge & Co., Newburyport, Mass. make, hand-turned Oxfords, pat. tip, \$1.75, value \$2.50

10 Special Drives in Seasonable Goods.

Ladies' fine black doeskin Overgaiters, \$1.75, value \$1.50
Ladies' first quality lamb's wool Soles for slippers, 25c, value 40c
Ladies' first quality Rubber Boots, \$2.00, value \$2.50
Children's first quality Rubber Boots, \$1.25, value \$1.65
Men's best heavy Rubber Boots, \$2.75, value \$3.25
Men's best hip Rubber Boots, \$3.75, value \$4.50
Men's fancy Christmas Slippers, \$1.00, value \$1.50
Men's imitation alligator Christmas Slippers, \$1.25, value \$2.00
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Men's, ladies' and children's Seamless Felt Slippers at bottom prices.

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